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MEMORANDUM FOR: Chief, Contracts Management Division, OSA

SUBJECT: Request for Funds for Increased Documentation
on [REDACTED] Developed Systems

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1. It is requested that funds be made available to [REDACTED] at [REDACTED] for the purpose of providing additional documentation on ELINT equipment developed by that organization.

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2. In the past, very little technical documentation has been provided for our records so that it is extremely difficult for OEL personnel to evaluate the [REDACTED]. [REDACTED] In order to alleviate this problem [REDACTED] has been requested to furnish suitable documentation on existing systems and also to change the scope of the documentation to be provided under the current contract for the Adaptable Power Pattern Measurement System.

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3. Funds are available in the NRO approved FY-1968 [REDACTED] budget as follows:

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This item was not forecast in the FY-1968 [REDACTED] First Quarter Forecast. [REDACTED] extends [REDACTED] is the technical officer for the project.

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4. It is believed that the cost estimates stated in [Redacted] Proposal No. 301160, which is attached, are excessive in view of the objectives of this program. In particular, the amount of labor quoted for items 2 and 3 is out of proportion with scope of effort which is required. With respect to item 2, it should be recalled that a final report is due under the existing contract for the Adaptable Power Pattern Measurement System and that the quotations in this proposal are over and above the funding which has already been allocated for that purpose.

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5. Also, it appears that the distribution of labor hours is highly disproportionate. It hardly seems necessary that the bulk of this documentation be composed by senior personnel.

6. The amount of time required for item 1 is considered as reasonable. For items 2 and 3 a reasonable estimate of the time required for these tasks is given in the table below:

	Item 2 (Man Hours)	Item 3 (Man Hours)
Composition	120	400
Publication and Support	120	400

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Attachment:

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